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### STEWARDS RULING

**Ruling number: 17-0114**  
**LGC Sample #00111012**

**Track: Turfway Park**

**Date: December 13, 2017**

**Trainer: Michael R. Matz (D.O.B. 1/23/1951)**

Upon receipt of notification from LGC Science, Inc., the official testing laboratory for the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission, and confirmed at Pennsylvania Equine Toxicology & Research Laboratory, sample number 00111012 taken from QUAIL HUNT, who finished first in the fifth race at Keeneland on October 20, 2017 contained betamethasone at a level of 28 pg/ml in blood (Class C drug). After waiving your right to a formal hearing before the Board of Stewards you are hereby fined FIVE HUNDRED (\$500.00) DOLLARS. QUAIL HUNT is disqualified and all purse money forfeited. Pari-mutuel wagering is not affected by this ruling. Upon receipt of this ruling, you are required within thirty (30) days to pay any and all fines imposed to the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission. Failure to do so will subject you to summary suspension of your license pursuant to 810 KAR 1:025 Section 14 (cc).

810 KAR 1:008 Section 3, subsection (4)

810 KAR 1:012 Section 10, subsection (3)

810 KAR 1:017 Section (6)(7)

810 KAR 1:018 Section 2

810 KAR 1:018 Section 15, subsection (2)(3)

810 KAR 1:028, Section 4, subsection (3)(a)(b)

**BY ORDER OF THE STEWARDS**



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